

Military Appreciation Day

Aug. 13, 2016

Antelope Island

- 7:30 am Flag Ceremony @ Ranger Memorial
- 8-10:30 am Pancake Breakfast @ Beach Pavilion with Island Grill – Free to Veterans and Military, \$5 for other
- 10am, 12pm, 2pm, 4pm – Guided Ranch Tours
- 10am – 12pm – Kids activity, Scavenger Hunt**
- 11am – Hike to Beacon Knob
- 11am – 4pm – Kids activity, Thank you cards @ Visitor Center
- 11am – 4pm – Kids activity, Beach discovery with Friends of Great Salt Lake
- 2pm – Bison History Program
- 7pm - Campfire Program @ White Rock Bay #1

Bear Lake

- Flag raising ceremony - raising of tattered flag to be retired.
- Rich County SAR fundraising breakfast - free to military veterans.
- Honoring of locals serving in the military and veterans.
- Park concession to offer special deals throughout the day.

Camp Floyd

- Live musket firing demonstration held at the cemetery from 11am – noon

Dead Horse Point

- Veterans get 20% discounts in the visitor center gift shop and at the Pony Expresso
- We will be giving away yellow ribbons for people to show their support.

Deer Creek

- Cabela's will be providing free demos of non-motorized watercraft. (Kayaks, canoes, SUPs, etc.)

Escalante

- Free hot dogs and drinks at noon for veterans and military members.

Frontier Homestead

Demonstrations on the following:

- Civil War military drills

- Ink and quill
- Semaphore
- Cannon firing
- Wood-fired oven

Goblin Valley

- Disc golf glow in the dark tournament starting at 9 p.m.

Great Salt Lake

- Free Hamburger / Brats Barbecue at noon for the military and their family.
- 50% off Kayak, Paddle board, peddle boat rentals for Military and their family. (courtesy Gonzo Boat Rentals & Tours)
- 20% off Jet Boat Tours for Military and their family. (Courtesy Gonzo Boat Rentals & Tours)

Hyrum

- Free 1 hour canoe rental

Jordan River

- SUP race weekend. Military will get free admission to the park and to watch the race

Jordanelle

- **Veterans Salute 5K**, Fun Run, and Pancake Breakfast at **Hailstone**: Show your patriotism and honor our current and past military veterans by running this 5K! All proceeds will go to the National Ability Center's Veteran and Military Programs. Runners will receive a bugle "First Call" start and run through beautiful Jordanelle State Park. Along the course, runners will pass through time as they run by banners for representing each of the major wars: WWI, WWII, Korean, Vietnam War, Gulf War, and the War on Terror. All 5K runners will receive participation medals and race shirts. Awards will be given out for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers according to age categories as well as for overall race awards. All Fun Run participants will receive a medal. Additional fee for race shirts. A pancake breakfast will also be available for an additional fee (free for Veterans). \$3/person and 3 and under are free for the pancake breakfast. Register today!

Otter Creek

- Flag raising ceremony

Palisade

- Flag raising ceremony at 8AM.
- 5 K at 9AM. Run or walk to show appreciation for military (all participants free or \$10 if they want a shirt)
- Free golf and canoe rental for Military

Quail Creek

- Free one hour paddle board or kayak rentals
- Flag raising ceremony

Red Fleet

- Flag decorated entrance
- Free non-motorized watercraft rentals for veterans.

Sand Hollow

- 5th Annual Ultimate Dive Challenge
- Flag raising ceremony.

Scofield

- Flag lowering ceremony and musical tribute at 7 p.m.

Snow Canyon

- Star gazing event designed especially for those who have served.

Steinaker

- Flag decorated entrance and flag raising ceremony at 9:00 a.m.
- Free donuts for all who attend

Territorial

- New display with artifacts from the Indian Wars.

Utah Field House

- Flag decorated entrance,
- Free admission for veterans and their families
- Free repository tours for vets and their families upon request.

Utah Lake

- S'mores on the beach from 7 PM - 9 PM in self-contained fire pit stands.

- Free one hour rental of Stand Up Paddle Boards thanks to our in-house concessionaire.

Wasatch Mountain

- Free park day use, and free fishing pole rentals for Military families from 10 am to 4 pm
- Historic Huber Grove open for tours from 10 am to 12 pm
- Safely view the sun through a solar telescope from 11 am and 2 pm
- Learn to Geocache and try out our short course at 11 am
- Birds of prey meet and greet from 12 pm to 2 pm
- Free cake and ice cream at 1 pm (Until we run out!)
- Free snow cones from the Snowie truck from 11 am to 3 pm

Wasatch Mountain & Soldier Hollow Golf Courses

- Will be offering a \$38 fee for golf with a cart, a 25% discount from the regular rate. In addition to the discount for golf and a cart we will offer them a free bucket of range balls with their golf round.

Willard

- Food trucks including: Donut Kabob, World's Best Corndog, KJ Escape
- Monster Energy drink truck to hand out free drinks
- Flying J will sponsor a hotdog eating contest
- Brigham City Outdoors will sponsor Paddle Board races
- The National Guard will bring three Military Vehicles for pictures and display as well as their rock wall for climbing and pontoon boat for rides

Yuba

- Free breakfast for veterans and military members from 8-10AM.
- Pancake eating contest with prizes for the winners
- Flag raising ceremony at 7:30am by the boy scouts